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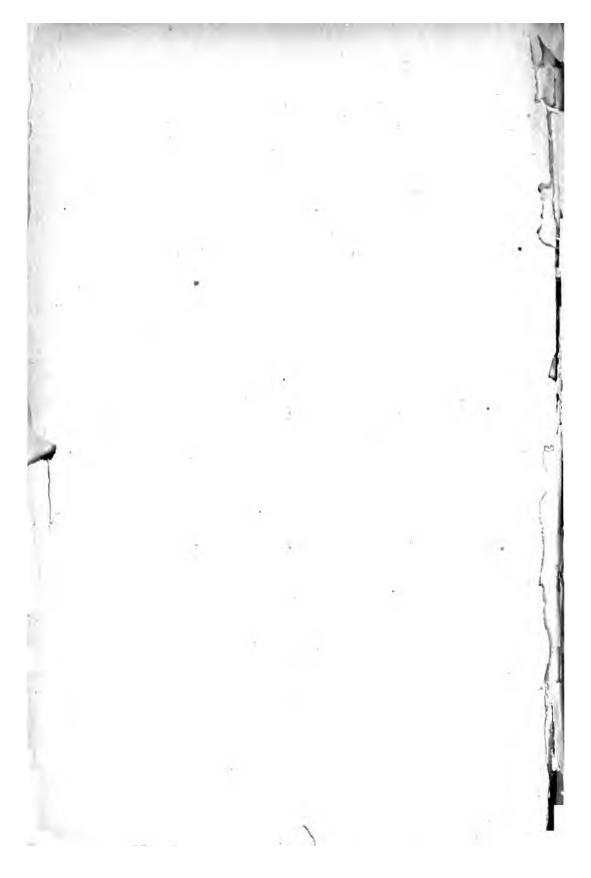
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FOR THE

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1893



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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF TRANSPORTATION OF THE STATE OF NEBRASKA.

DECEMBER 1st, 1894.

Hon. Lorenzo Crounse, Governor of the State of Nebraska:

DEAR SIR:—We herewith present the annual report of the Board of Transportation of the State of Nebraska for the year ending June 30, 1893. Owing to the smallness of the appropriation at the command of the Board for printing we have been compelled to omit from this report the full reports of the different railroads in the State, but we have tabulated the returns of said railroad companies as fully as possible.

Since making our last report the following railroads have been placed in the hands of receivers, appointed by the Federal Court; the Union Pacific Railway Company and its branches, and operated lines with mileage as follows:

Union Pacific, main line	467.48
Omaha & Republican Valley Railway	414.44
Kearney & Black Hills Railroad	65.72
St. Joseph & Grand Island Railroad	112.53
Kansas City & Omaha Railroad	193.68

In addition to the above, the Sioux City, O'Neill & rthwestern Railway, a line running from Covington west

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to O'Neill, a distance of 129.16 miles, is now in the hands of a receiver.

The Kansas City & Beatrice Railroad, a line running from the City of Beatrice south to the state line 20.10 miles, has been for the last three years and still is in the hands of a receiver.

Making a total of 1,403.11 miles of railroad in this state in the hands of receivers, out of a total mileage of 5,529.22.

The legislature at its last session in 1893 passed a maximum rate law, entitled "An Act to regulate railroads, classify freights and to fix reasonable maximum rates to be charged for the transportation of freights upon each of the railroads in the State of Nebraska and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act."

This law was to have gone into effect the first of August, 1893, and the Board made preparations to see that the law was enforced, and several of the lines of railroad in this state had filed the new tariff sheets in this office, prepared in compliance with the provisions of said law, when the stockholders of the different lines of road doing business in this state commenced suit in the Federal Court and obtained a temporary injunction restraining the Board and its officers and all other parties from enforcing the provisions of said law.

The foundation of these suits, as alleged by the stockholders, was that the law was unconstitutional.

These suits are still pending, and will undoubtedly before they are finally determined, find their way into the Supreme Court of the United States. We have been urging a hearing as fast as possible, and hope to have the cases tried at the January term of the Federal Court for this district.

The legislature also at its last session passed an act en-

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titled "An Act to regulate railroads and to compel them to put in transfer switches."

This law provides that all railroads shall at points where two or more roads receive and deliver freight put in transfer switches for the purpose of transfering freight from one road to the other in carload lots, except at such places, where in a proper hearing the Board of Transportation shall find that the building and maintaining of such transfer switch will be unusually burdensome. This law went into force August 1, 1893. Each railroad in the state has filed petitions in the office of this Board, asking to be relieved from the operations of said law, at all places where they have not now connecting switches. Hearings have been had in several of these cases, and the secretaries of this Board are now preparing their reports in regard thereto.

J. C. Allen, Secretary of State.

Chairman.

EUGENE MOORE, Auditor of Public Accounts,

J. S. BARTLEY, State Treasurer.

GEO. H. HASTINGS, Attorney General.

A. R. Humphrey, Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings,

Board of Transportation.

W. A. DILWORTH,

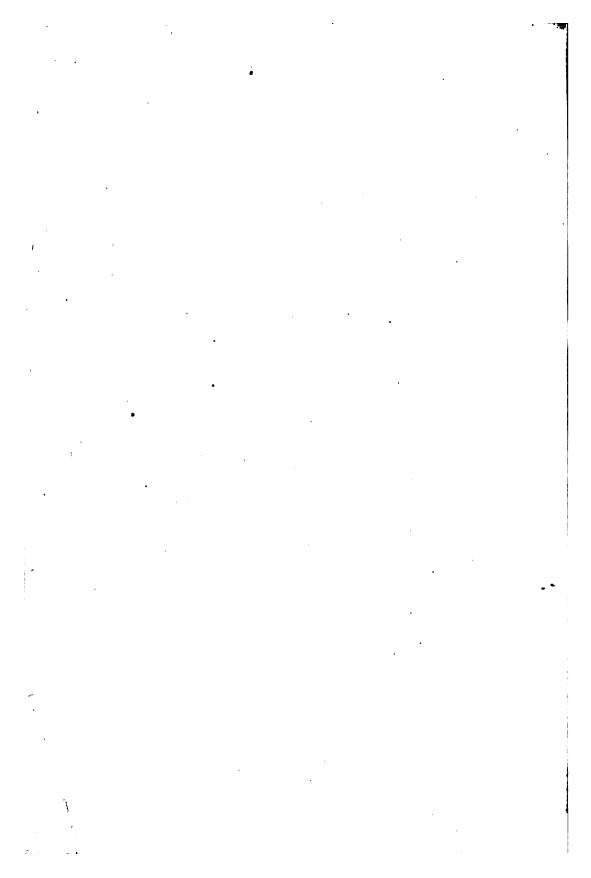
J. W. Johnson,

J. N. KOONTZ,

Secretaries.

P. E. BEARDSLEY,

Stenographer.



CASES HEARD AND DETERMINED.

(No. 198.)

Clay County, Nebraska,

Plaintiff.

VS.

Nebraska & Colorado Branch Burlington & Missouri River Railroad,

Defendant,

Complaint filed June 27th, 1892.

Complaint sets forth that said defendant's railroad crosses the public highway on the section line between sections 19 and 30, township 5, north of range 5 in said township, in Clay County, Nebraska, and that said crossing being in a draw, across which the railroad grade is some fifteen or twenty feet high from the bottom of the draw, that in constructing the crossing of said highway over the railroad, the defendant built the highway of insufficient width, and that it is only wide enough for one wagon to pass at a time.

That the township board of Logan township, that being the township in which said crossing is located, did on the 12th day of May, 1891, declare said highway crossing unsafe and insufficient for the traveling public; that due notice had been served by the proper officers upon said defendant. That more than sixty days had elapsed since the service of said lotice, but that defendant failed and refused to comply herewith, and prays relief.

A certified copy of the petition was served upon T. E.

Calvert, General Superintendent of said company, on the 29th of June, 1892.

August 12th, 1892, Mr. Calvert served notice on the Board that said crossing had been made so as to conform to the desires of the petitioners.

Plaintiffs were duly notified of the answer of the defendant and not hearing further from them, and the matter being undoubtedly satisfactory to the petitioners, the case was dismissed.

(No. 200.)

Byram W. Blair, Plaintiff,
vs.
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company,
Defendant.

The complaint in this case was filed July 21, 1892, and asks for an elevator site on the right of way of defendant's line at the city of Broken Bow, Custer county, Nebraska.

A certified copy of the complaint was duly served upon the defendant, and August 12, 1892, said railroad company filed an answer, admitting that it is a corporation of the State of Nebraska, and that plaintiff is a shipper to a limited extent on its line of road; and further that all of the shipments made by plaintiff heretofore on said road, and all that would be made by him are and would be interstate shipments, that is, originating at Broken Bow, in Custer county, Nebraska, and destined to points beyond the limits of the State of Nebraska; and further, that said Blair had never made application to said defendant for an elevator privilege at said city; and further, said defendant says that there are already two elevators located at said point, which elevators are more than sufficient to handle all the grain that has been or will be marketed at said point; and that the Board of

Transportation, under the circumstances, has no jurisdiction to hear and determine the matter in controversy.

A copy of the answer was duly served upon the plaintiff, with ten days to reply. Reply was filed denying all new matter contained in the answer.

August 31, 1892, Secretaries W. A. Dilworth and J. N. Koontz proceeded to take the testimony and inspect the premises at the city of Broken Bow. The testimony is very voluminous and is not herein set out.

October 5, 1892, the secretaries presented to the Board findings and recommendations, as follows:

FINDINGS.

From the evidence and a personal investigation, we would respectfully make the following findings of fact, together with the recommendations:

That the city of Broken Bow has a population of about three thousand, and is the county seat of Custer county, Nebraska; and that the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company runs a line of road east and west through the entire length of said town, and was so constructed about five years ago; that it has depot grounds and vard, about three hundred feet wide and one thousand, eight hundred and forty feet in length in the center of said town; that its depot and depot platforms take up nearly all the space on the south side of the main track, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; that there are two switches running almost the entire length of the yard, and a spur running along the north edge of the right of way; that one of said switches is on the south side of the main track, and is used as a "passing track;" and that the switch on the north side is known as the "elevator switch" and has at the esent time two elevators located thereon; that the spur is nstructed from the east side of the yard along what is nown as North Railroad street, next to the north edge

thereot, and adjacent to the lumber yards and coal sheds, and is built for the purpose of supplying and accommodating said lumber yards and coal sheds.

- That at the present time there are two elevators in said city, one owned by Kendall & Smith, which has been in operation for nearly five years; the other owned by H. W. Wirt, which has been built for about three years. The Kendall & Smith elevator has a capacity of about 15,000 bushels, and the Wirt elevator a capacity of about 10,000 bushels, with an addition now being constructed which will increase its capacity to about 17,000 bushels. That the Kendall & Smith elevator is situated on the west side of Fifth avenue, adjacent to and abutting thereon, and on the north side of the elevator switch; and the Wirt elevator is situated on the east side of Fourth avenue, and abutting thereon, and on the north side of the elevator switch; that there is a space of ground in front of the depot, extending from Fourth to Fifth avenue, and from the north switch to the south side of North Railroad street, that is entirely vacant, it being a strip of ground about three hundred feet long by about one hundred and twenty-five feet wide; and that east of the Wirt elevator and a few feet from the north switch there are two corn cribs belonging to Mr. Wirt; then comes Third avenue, which is closed across the right of way; then comes a vacant space along the switch, the vacant spot being the entire width of the right of way, and about two hundred feet long, and so far as the lay of the ground is concerned is a suitable place for an elevator.
- 3. We find that the defendant has granted elevator privileges to other parties in said city, to-wit, Kendall & Smith and to H. W. Wirt, and that said privileges have been acted upon by said parties, and that they are now, and have been for some years, running elevators on the right of way of defendant at said city.
 - 4. We further find that the plaintiff made a formal de-

mand for like elevator privileges on the right of way of detendant at said city, which demand was refused by the defendant.

- 5. We further find that the two elevators now at said city are capable of handling all the grain that is liable to be offered for sale, or to be handled at said city for a number of years to come, and that a third elevator is not a necessity. We further find that it would be detrimental to the interests of the railroad company to have an elevator constructed upon the "passing track," and also that it would be a great nuisance to the traveling public as well as to the railroad company to have an elevator immediately in front of the depot, or upon any place in the vacant space of ground immediately north of the depot.
- 6. We find that there is a vacant space suitable for an elevator along the north side of the elevator switch east of the Wirt elevator.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

We would therefore recommend that the following order be passed by the Board:

It is hereby considered, ordered and adjudged that the defendant railroad company furnish the complainant, Byram W. Blair, an elevator site on the north side of the elevator switch, and east of the Wirt elevator in the city of Broken Bow, Custer county, Nebraska, within ten days from the date of the service of this order.

On request of the defendant the secretaries made a supplemental finding on the question of the bona fides of the complainant in making his demand, or instituting this suit for an elevator site, and thereupon submitted the following supplemental finding, to-wit:

"As to the question of the bona fides of complainant in naking his demand for an elevator site, we desire to say, hat since last winter the complainant has made repeated

demands of defendant for a large sum of money which he claims was due him as rebate on his former shipments of grain. These demands were at last accompanied by threats of boycott, lawsuits and injury to defendant; and it was not until after the complainant ascertained that the defendant would not listen to or entertain the demands of complainant for payment of rebates that the demand for an elevator site was made. In fact the letters of the complainant state that he was not making any money at the grain business, and that was cited to the defendant as a proof that the defendant was paying rebates to complainant's competitors, and intimating that he could not stay in the grain buying business unless allowed payments for rebates to the amount of \$10,000, accompanied by an offer to an agent of defendant of \$1,000 if he would get such unlawful claim or demand allowed.

We therefore find that the complainant did not make a demand for an elevator site in good faith, and for the purpose of carrying on the grain business, but was for the purpose of annoying defendant, and assisting him in getting his claim for rebates allowed, and was not made with a bona fide intention of erecting an elevator, but rather was the outgrowth or result of former threats, and that complainant was taking advantage of the law in trying to force the defendant to pay an illegal claim. But nevertheless, we believe the law to be, that where a railroad company has granted certain shipping privileges to one, it must grant the same to all who demand it, and will not be allowed to question the bona fides of the person who demands such privilege. We therefore adhere to our former recommendation."

The findings and recommendations, together with the supplemental findings, were presented to the Board for their action October 15, 1892.

Complainant moved to strike from the files the supple-

mental findings, for the reason that the same were irrelevant, immaterial and not supported by the evidence.

The question was taken under advisement by the Board. The case, after being continued several times, was, on the oth day of February, 1803, finally determined as follows:

The motion to strike from the files supplemental findings as to the bona fides of complainant sustained, on account of irrelevancy and immateriality of said findings, to which the defendant then and there excepted.

And thereupon the Board adopted the findings and recommendations of the secretaries. It was therefore considered, adjudged and decreed that the defendant railroad company furnish the complainant, Byram W. Blair, an elevator sight on the north side of the elevator switch, and east of the Wirt elevator in the city of Broken Bow, Custer county, Nebraska, within ten days of the service of this order.

The order was served on the railroad company by the sheriff of Douglas county, Nebraska.

The company having failed to comply with said order, the attorney for complainant asked the privilege of instituting a suit against said company to compel compliance with said order, which request was granted. Suit was instituted in the district court of Custer county, Nebraska, and a decree rendered therein sustaining the order of the Board.

(No. 201.)

William and H. Zierenberg,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company,

Defendant.

The plaintiff filed an informal complaint, July 21, 1892, setting forth that the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Rail-

way Company in constructing their road through the north half of the northwest quarter of section 7, township 1, north range 2 east, in Jefferson County, obstructed a natural water-way in such a manner as to cause the water to flow back on the land of the plaintiffs, thereby damaging their crops, and asking that the railroad company be required to open up the water-way under their road so as to allow the water to escape.

A certified copy of the petition was forwarded to Mr. C. Dunlap, General Superintendent of the defendant railway company, who made answer that the matter would be attended to without delay.

We notified the plaintiff of the contents of the letter received from Mr. Dunlap, with a request to notify us if the matter was not attended to. Not having received any further word from them we presume the matter was adjusted to their satisfaction, and the case was therefore dismissed.

(No. 202.)

J. H. Hannah, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Republican Valley & Wyoming Railroad Company,

Defendant.

The plaintiffs filed an informal petition supported by petitions from numerous citizens living in and around Lamar, Chase County, Nebraska, asking the Board to aid in obtaining said railroad's consent to extend their line from Imperial west as far as the town of Lamar.

The matter was personally laid before the railroad authorities, who promised to investigate the matter, and as soon as sufficient money could be raised, to construct said road. The matter is still in this condition.

(No. 203.)

A. D. Holbrook, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley Railroad Company, Defendant,

This was an informal petition filed with the Board August 16th, 1892, complaining that the rates on Rock Springs Coal were such that they were unable to obtain said coal at any reasonable figures, and asking the intervention of the Board in regard to the matter.

This being an interstate shipment the Board was without jurisdiction to act, except to use its best endeavors to obtain the relief asked for.

The matter was laid before the proper railroad authorities, and they agreed that the matter should be remedied.

(No. 204.)

William Barr,

Complainant,

vs.

Union Pacific Railway Company, and Council Bluffs Elevator Company, Defendant,

This was an informal complaint filed August 16th, 1892, setting forth that complainant had shipped a car load of No. 2 wheat from Glenwood, Nebraska, on the Kearney and Black Hills Railroad, through to Chicago, and that in transporting said wheat it was transferred from one car to another enroute, and that the wheat was mixed with other ain so that it lowered the grade of complainant's wheat, thereby damaging him to the amount of \$75.50.

This being a matter of a claim for money damages,

and also an interstate shipment, it was beyond the jurisdiction of the Board to make any final order in the matter. However, we forwarded the matter to the general freight agent, J. A. Munroe of the Union Pacific, with a request to investigate, and confer with Mr. Barr in regard to the matter.

(No. 205.)

L. H. Overman, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley Railroad Company, Defendant,

Petition filed August 30th, 1892. This was a petition asking for the opening of a station, building and maintaining a depot at the town of Crookston, Nebraska.

A certified copy of the petition was served upon the defendant railroad company.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Transportation February 2d, 1893, the following order was made:

It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed that the defendant, the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley Railroad Company be and is hereby ordered and required to open and maintain a depot at Crookston, Nebraska, on or before the 1st day of July, 1893.

(No. 206.)

Jacob Kuhn,

Complainant,

vs.

Burlington & Missouri River Railroad Company, Defendant, This was an informal complaint, filed in the office September 23d, 1892, asking for a farm crossing over the Burlington & Missouri River Railroad in section 25, township 7, north, range 14 east.

A copy of the complaint was served upon the defendant railroad company, which promised to comply therewith without further delay, of which fact the complainant was duly notified and he was requested to keep the Board informed of any neglect of the railroad company in not complying with their agreement.

Not hearing further from the complainant we presume the matter was arranged to his satisfaction, and the case is hereby dismissed.

(No. 207.)

William Martin, et al., citizens of the town of Laurel, Nebraska,

Plaintiffs,

vs.
Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company,

Defendant,

APPEARANCES.

Hon. W. C. Walton, for Plaintiffs.

M. H. Hubbard, for Defendant.

The petition in this case, filed September 31st, 1892, sets forth that the defendant is a corportion, engaged in the business of a common carrier of passengers and property between various points in this state.

That the town of Laurel is a town at the junction of the defendant's road and the Pacific Short Line, a road running from Covington, Nebraska, to O'Neill in said state.

That the said town of Laurel now consists of about one

hundred people, and has various business houses and dwellings, and is about one year old; that it is situated about seven miles north of Concord on defendant's line of road, and two miles south of Claramont on the same line; six miles west from Dixon, and seven miles east of Belden on the Pacific Short Line road.

The petitioners complain that the defendant has no station at the said town of Laurel and does not stop its trains there, and that there are no shipping facilities or accommodations for passengers whatsoever, and the proper shipping facilities for the people of that town and surrounding neighborhood demands that a depot be built and a station established at that town by the defendant railroad company.

To which petition the defendant filed an answer on the 12th day of October, 1892, admitting the incorporation of the defendant railroad company, and alleging that detendant had in contemplation and under consideration the establishment of a station at Claramont before said Pacific Short Line Railway was constructed through the county of Dixon in said state.

That the crossing of that company's track over the track of this defendant at the point mentioned in plaintiff's complaint was made in the latter part of December, 1889, or early in the year of 1890; that the station of Claramont was opened for business in the autumn of 1890, and is situated about seven thousand feet north of said crossing, upon high rolling ground, and the said station of Laurel was not open for business until March, 1892; that the ground at said crossing is low, and during wet seasons holds so much water as to render it difficult of access, and therefore very unfit for station purposes, and the cost to this defendant of grading tracks and station grounds thereat would be very large, and as the defendant believes greater than the business done thereat by this defendant would justify. And

this defendant submits that it would be an unnecessary expense, and a great hardship to be required to erect and maintain a station at that point under the circumstances.

That the defendant discontinued the stopping of trains at said crossing and substituted a gate and flagman for the reason that passengers having occasion to take passage on its trains were accustomed to gather on its road bed, at or near the crossing, and to climb upon its cars, not only when standing still but when in motion, and the change was made for the purpose of preventing the continuance of such dangerous practices, and without any desire or intention of boycotting any place or inconveniencing any persons; and this defendant avers that it has no inclination to withhold any needful or proper facilities from any one desiring to patronize its line; but that on the contrary it desires to furnish every such person all proper and reasonable accommodations.

The complainants filed a reply on November 5, 1892, to said answer denying that the defendant had in contemplation or under consideration the establishment of a station at Claramont before the Pacific Short Line Railway was constructed through the county of Dixon; and alleges the truth to be that the station of Claramont was not made until after the surveying and laying out of the town of Laurel, and that then the defendant immediately, or soon thereafter, and after the lots in the town of Laurel had been advertised for sale erected a station house and commenced to survey and lay out the town of Claramont.

The plaintiff admits that the crossing of the Pacific Short Line Railway across the track of the defendant was nade about the time alleged in defendant's answer, and that he station of Claramont was opened for business in the atter part of the autumn of 1890, and admits that Claramont is about seven thousand feet north of the said cross-

ing of the two roads, and is upon rolling land as alleged in the answer, but denies that the ground in and about the town of Laurel is low and swampy and unfit for station purposes, and alleges that the defendant's cost for grading tracks and station grounds thereat would not be larger than the increase of the business to be done by the company would justify, and denies that it would be an unnecessary expense and hardship to compel the defendant to erect and maintain a station at said point.

Plaintiff denies that the reason the defendant discontinued the stopping of its trains at the crossing was for the reason set forth in the answer, but alleges the fact to be that it was done for the purpose of preventing trains from stopping at said town of Laurel, and preventing passengers from getting on and off its trains at said place, and for the purpose of inconveniencing the people of Laurel, and preventing them having such railroad facilities as are proper and just. Plaintiff alleges the truth to be that the said station of Laurel was opened for business in the early part of the year 1891.

The hearing was set for the 16th day of November, 1892, at the town of Laurel, and upon that day the Secretaries proceeded to examine the premises and to receive testimony offered by both sides, and from the inspection, and the testimony thus taken we would respectfully submit

the following findings of fact:

1. That the town of Laurel was laid out about two years ago, and that the buildings now there were started about the middle of March, 1892: That at the present time it consists of about one hundred inhabitants, with about forty-five buildings. There are thirteen different kinds of business represented; general merchandise, hardware, drug store, blacksmith and harness shops, barber shop, lumber yard, livery barn, coal, billiard hall, meat market, furniture store, agricultural implement business and a flour mill. That

it is situated about seven thousand eight hundred feet south of the station of Claramont, and at the crossing of the Pacific Short Line Railway over the defendant's line of road. That it is about seven miles north of Concord, a station on defendant's line of road, and six miles west from Dixon and seven miles west from Belden, on the Pacific Short Line.

- 2. We find that the ground or land upon which the town site of Laurel is located is in the valley of Logan Creek, the valley running southeast and northwest through the southern part of Dixon county, and some portions of which are low and subject to overflow; but at the particular point at which the town site of Laurel is located it has never been overflowed except at one time in 1888 when there appears to have been a water spout burst up the valley, and before the water could run off it overflowed the entire valley from bluff to bluff. At all other times it seems to have been as dry as any portion of the valley, and is not subject to inconvenience on account of the water standing.
- 3. That the defendant in keeping open the station of Claramont does not thereby furnish such proper and necessary facilities to the citizens of Laurel as their necessities and a proper conception of the business done at that point require.
- 4. That the building and maintaining of a depot and station at the town of Laurel by the defendant is a necessity and should be furnished by the defendant without unnecessary delay.

There was afterwards filed in this office by the defendant the following copies of letters:

"Omaha, November 17th, 1892.

. H. Lynch:

Once each day at time that will delay the section crew east please send written notice to merchants at Laurel in

regard to any freight that may be at your station for them. Answer.

(Signed)

H. S. JAYNES."

(Telegram.)

"Claramount, November 17, 1892.

Will send written notice to merchants at Laurel each day when freight for them is at this station. Section crew will deliver notice.

(Signed)

J. H. Lynch, Agent."

"Omaha, Neb., November, 1892,

Mr. J. H. Lynch, Agent, Claramont,

DEAR SIR:—I enclose herewith a small supply of form 85, postal card notices to consignees of freight on hand for them. Please use these for this purpose. I wired you to-day with reference to notifying merchants at Laurel regarding any freight you may have on hand for them. See that daily notice is sent them accordingly. Keep yourself supplied with these postal cards by requisition on stationery department. Acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,

H. S. JAYNES, Supt."

Also on the 28th day of November, 1892, there was filed with the Secretaries by the plaintiffs the following tender, to-wit:

"Laurel, Neb., November, 1892.

We, the undersigned, owners of the town site of Laurel (Claramont Junction), Nebraska, hereby tender free of charge to the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company such ground and land of said town site along the line of the said company's road bed as shall be necessary for depot, side tracks and station purposes, in consideration of the said railroad company establishing and maintaining a station at the said town of Laurel (Claramont

Junction), and as soon as the said railroad company will mark out and designate such portions as are necessary and desired for said purposes, we hereby bind ourselves to convey the same to it.

In presence of

E. W. MILLER,

C. H. GANETSON.

E. A. STEWART, W. M. MARTIN, J. H. STEWART, LOUIS C. TOLLES."

RECOMMENDATIONS.

We would therefore respectfully recommend that the following order be passed by the Board:

It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed; that the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company shall without unnecessary delay, erect and maintain a depot at the town of Laurel (Claramont Junction), and stop all its regular trains thereat, the same as at other stations on this branch of the same size and importance; providing, however, that the necessary ground for depot and yard purposes shall be conveyed for that purpose by the proper parties.

FINAL ORDER OF THE BOARD.

It is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed; that the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company shall, without unnecessary delay, erect and maintain a depot at the town of Laurel (Claramont Junction), and stop all its regular trains thereat the same as at other stations on this branch of the same size and importance; provided, however, that the necessary grounds for depot and yard purposes shall be conveyed for that purpose, towit: "The grounds marked on the plat in red, and being the hundred feet in width, contiguous to and paralel with e present southerly right of way line of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway Company at Laurel,

beginning at the south line of the present right of way of the Pacific Short Line, so called, and running southeasterly about two thousand feet to the south line of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 4, township 28, range 3, Cedar County, Nebraska."

The final order of the Board in this case has been fully complied with by the railroad company.

(No. 208.)

A. B. Chapek, et al.,

Complainants,
vs.

Omaha & Republican Valley
Railroad Company,

Defendant.

This was an informal complaint of the citizens of Touhy filed October 18, 1892, with the Board, requesting that the Board investigate and order the defendant railroad company to construct and maintain a depot at said town of Touhy, in Saunders County, Nebraska.

A certified copy of the complaint was forwarded to Mr. S. H. H. Clark, president of said defendant railroad company, who thereupon filed with this Board a statement showing the amount of shipments from and into and about the flag station of Touhy, and also a statement showing the financial condition of said defendant railroad company.

A copy of Mr. Clark's letter was forwarded to complainants, since which time we have heard nothing in regard thereto, and the case is hereby dismissed. (No. 209.)

F. L. Baldwin, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri

Valley Railroad Company,

This was a petition filed with the Board asking for a depot to be built and maintained at the flag station of Clinton, Nebraska.

Defendant.

A certified copy of the same was served upon the detendant railroad company, which filed an answer with the Board setting forth that they desired to furnish proper facilities to all people doing business on their line of road, and stating that at the present time the season would not allow of the construction of a depot at said town, but that as soon as spring opened they would proceed to construct and maintain a depot at said place.

A copy of the answer was sent to complainants, who thereupon suggested that the case be continued until such time as complainants desired to take it up after giving ten days notice to defendant, which was accordingly done at the consent of defendant.

(No. 210.)

C. Jacobson,

Plaintiff,

VS.

St. Joseph & Grand Island Railroad Company, Defendant.

This was an informal complaint filed with the Board Jovember 5, 1892, setting forth that the rates and rules recarding the shipping of poultry were such that the complainant could not successfully compete with surrounding points.

The shipping being interstate shipments, and beyond the jurisdiction of the Board to control, the matter was referred to the railroad company, and a promise exacted that they would confer with the complainant and arrange matters satisfactorily.

Not hearing further from complainant we presume this was done.

(No. 211.)

Henry Kramer,

Plaintiff,

The Missouri Pacific Railway

Company, Defendant.

APPEARANCES.

PLAINTIFF appeared for himself, without counsel.

J. W. ORR and LEE ESTELLE appeared for defendant.

The petition in the case, filed January 21, 1893, sets forth that the defendant is a corporation of the State of Nebraska, and owns and operates a line of railway running through the southern portion of Lancaster county, in said state.

That plaintiff is the owner of the west half of section 9, township 7, range 5 east, in said Lancaster county, and that said railway crosses the land above described.

That at the time of the construction of said railway in the year 1887, the defendant, through its agent, obtained certain land of this plaintiff, with the understanding and agreement that a station would be located and maintained at said point, where the said railway crosses the land of this plaintiff. That on its part the defendant did locate said station, and open a depot thereat in accordance with said agreement, and kept said station open until the 20th day of January, 1893, at which time said defendant closed said station, and has ever since kept the same closed, to the detriment and damage of the shipping and traveling public, and contrary to the agreement and contract above specified.

That by reason of said depot being established and maintained at said point, a large number of people settled in that immediate vicinity and took up different lines of business, and are in business at said place yet, to-wit: two elevators, two general merchandise stores, a blacksmith shop, a postoffice and other lines of business; that in fact at the present time the village of Kramer numbers about forty people, and is situated in a thickly settled community, and is quite a trading point for a large number of farmers, being situated about seven miles east of Crete, the next station on the west on said line, and about nine miles west of Sprague, the next station on the east of Kramer on said line. Alleging further that it is necessary for the proper transaction of business, and the convenience of the shipping and traveling public that said station at Kramer be re-opened and maintained.

A certified copy of the above petition, together with the usual summons, was served upon the defendant, and upon the 31st day of January, 1893, an answer was filed in this office by the defendant, admitting:

of the State of Nebraska, and further alleging that the Board of Transportation has no jurisdiction of the subject matter of this action; and that if plaintiff is entitled to recover in any action under the averments and declarations in the petition, that said action would be in a court of law, for violation of a contract. Further answering the defendant enies specifically that it ever agreed with plaintiff, or any

other person that it would construct and maintain a depot at the place mentioned in plaintiff's petition. Also denies that there is any public necessity for the maintainance of a depot at the village of Kramer, alleging that the business at said place does not warrant the expenditure involved in the erection and maintenance of a depot thereat, and that if compelled to maintain a depot at said place, as prayed for in said petition, great hardship and wrong and expense would accrue to defendant.

A copy of the answer properly certified was forwarded to the plaintiff, and after proper notice had been given, the case was set for hearing at the office of the Board of Transportation in the city of Lincoln on the 20th of February, 1893, at 2 o'clock p. m. At that time both parties appeared and by consent the case was continued until February 27th at 10 o'clock a. m.

On February 27th plaintiff appeared in person, but not with an attorney, defendant appeared by attorney. Evidence was taken, and the matter was taken under advisement by the secretaries.

FINDINGS OF THE SECRETARIES.

From the evidence produced on the trial of this cause, and from the pleadings, we find as follows:

- We find that the Missouri Pacific Railway Company is an incorporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nebraska.
- 2. That said railway company constructed a line of railway across the land of the defendant, described in the petition in the year 1887, first having purchased of plaintiff the necessary land for right of way purposes at an agreed price of \$35 per acre.
- 3. That during the construction of said railway the people living in the vicinity of what was afterwards known

as Kramer Station became desirous of having a station at or near where it was afterwards located, and solicited the attorney for said railroad company to obtain said station. That thereupon said attorney or other party or parties associated with him entered into the following agreement with the plaintiff, to-wit:

"Articles of agreement made this 31st day of November, 1887, between Henry Kramer and Margarette Kramer, his wife, of Lancaster County Nebraska, party of the first part and A. R. Talbot & Co., party of the second part. Witnesseth as follows:

Said party of the first part agrees to deed to J. O. Wilcox a portion of land in the west half of section 9, township 7, range 5 in Lancaster County, Nebraska, which deed is executed this day.

Said second party agrees to plat said land and lay out a town on said land. The lots so platted shall be sold by said second party, who shall have exclusive control over said lots and town site, and said second party shall fix the price on any and all lots so platted, and shall control exclusively the same, including the sale thereof. Said second party shall receive 5 per cent of all sales made as commission for same, and all expense aside from said 5 per cent commission shall be paid out of the sales of lots so platted, and after the said expenses are paid the net profits shall be divided equally between said first party and said second party. Such expenses shall include any and (all) expenses incurred in and about the laying out, platting and sale of said lots, aside from the commission of 5 per cent aforesaid, and all assessments and taxes on said lots and property shall be borne equally by the parties hereto. Said first party agrees to not plat or sell to any one any part of his

land adjoining said town site so platted. Said second party agrees not to sell any lots for saloon.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands the 21st day of November, 1887.

HENRY KRAMER,

In presence of

MARGARETTE X KRAMER,

A. R. TALBOT.

A. R. TALBOT & Co."

- 4. That land to the amount of forty acres was conveyed as set forth in the above agreement, and in accordance with the terms thereof, and to the party therein mentioned.
- 5. That plaintiff also, at the time he conveyed said torty acres, before mentioned, conveyed to the Missouri Pacific Railway Company a strip of land two thousand feet long and one hundred feet wide on each side of the right of way of defendant's road where it crosses plaintiff's land for side track, yard and depot.
- 6. That defendant accepted said land so deeded for side track, yard and depot, and constructed a good depot building thereat, stock yard and side track thereon, and has occupied and used the same ever since the construction of the road thereat up to the present time, and is still occupying, using and holding said land.
- 7. That the consideration passing to the plaintiff for the conveyance of the above mentioned land was this: The establishment and maintenance at Kramer of a station, with the usual station facilities.
- 8. That the plaintiff has lived up to and performed every act demanded of him by the said contract; and that the defendant, the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, on its part established a depot at said point and furnished the usual facilities thereat and maintained the same up to January 20th, 1893, at which time it removed the agent from Kramer and closed its depot; and that the parties to whom

was conveyed the forty acres of land before mentioned still hold the same.

- 9. That all trains still stop at Kramer the same as before the closing of the depot, but that freight and passengers are taken with greater inconvenience.
- 10. That the reason the defendant closed the station at Kramer was the going into effect of a new schedule of wages, drawn up and demanded by the employes of, and conceded by the defendant.
- 11. That fair dealing demands that the defendant keep open its station at Kramer, or that plaintiff be placed in the same position that he was in before he parted with his land for the purpose of obtaining a station.
- 12. That if the detendant desires to economize for the purpose of meeting additional expense created by the new schedule of employes' wages, it should do so in some other than by closing stations originally opened as the station in this case was located and opened.
- 13. We further find that on account of the distance between stations on detendant's line of road at this particular place, it being seven miles in one direction, and nine miles in the other direction to a station, that it is a necessity that the depot at Kramer be reopened and maintained in order to properly supply the shipping demands of the farmers and the people living in that vicinity.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

We would therefore recommend that the following order be made by the Board:

It is hereby ordered, considered, adjudged and decreed, by the Board of Transportation of the State of Nebraska, hat the defendant, the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, reopen at once and maintain the station at Kramer, Nebraska.

The above findings and recommendations were pre-

sented to the Board September 6th, 1893, and after arguments the matter was taken under advisement until September 8th, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which time the following order was passed by the Board:

That the station of Kramer, on the Missouri Pacific Railway be opened by the company on or before October 18th, 1893, and remain open until February 15th, 1894. That the Secretaries of the Board be instructed to notify the railroad company and the parties bringing this suit, of the action of the Board and that this cause be continued to the regular meeting of the Board in February, 1894.

(No. 212.)

J. L. Dart, Plaintiff,

Sioux City, O'Neill & Western Railroad Company and the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley Railroad Company,

Defendants.

This was a regular petition filed March 21, 1893, setting forth that complainant lives at the town of Orchard on the Sioux City, O'Neill & Western Railroad. That it is impossible to ship products from his town over any other line of road except the Sioux City, O'Neill & Western Railroad, for the reason of there being no transfer switch connecting the said line of railroad with the co-defendants' line of road at O'Neill or Plainview, and specifying details, products to be shipped in and out of said neighborhood.

A certified copy of the petition was served on the defendant railroad companies, which filed answers setting forth that there was no business demand for a connecting switch between the two roads at the above named points.

The legislature having just passed a law requiring the

railroad companies in the State of Nebraska, touching the same point, at which point they receive and deliver freight, to build and maintain transfer switches, except as relieved upon affirmative action by the Board of Transportation, plaintiff elected to rely upon the law rather than upon his individual case.

(No. 213.)

J. E. Roe,

Complainant,

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company, Defendant.

This was an informal request for a depot on defendant's contemplated road from Lincoln to Fairbury.

We wrote petitioner fully in regard to the matter, directing him to file a proper petition in the matter and the Board would act upon it at once. Having heard nothing from him since that time we presume the matter was arranged between him and the railroad company.

(No. 214.)

J. N. Lefever,

Complainant,

Burlington & Missouri River Railroad Company,

Defendant.

This was an informal complaint filed February 13th, 993, claiming an overcharge on a shipment of broom corn om Filmore County, in this state, to another state.

The matter being wholly beyond the jurisdiction of the pard, complainant was so notified and papers returned.

(No. 215.)

Seth T. Parsons, et al., Complainants,

Burlington & Missouri River Railroad Company, Defendant,

This was an informal complaint filed February 13th, 1893, complaining of lack of cars for the shipment of grain.

The matter was referred to the railroad company with directions to investigate and correct without delay, which was accordingly done.

(No. 216.)

I. P. Merchant,

Complainant.

Burlington & Missouri River Railroad Company, Defendant.

This was an informal complaint, complaining of a lack of cars for the shipment of grain, filed February 15, 1893.

Same action and same results in this case as in the case of Parsons against the same railroad company.

(No. 217.)

John Hays, Complainant,

Burlington & Missouri River Railroad Company, Defendant.)

This was an informal complaint, filed with the Board March 8, 1893, alleging an overcharge on the shipment of a carload of emigrant movables from Rockport, Missouri, to Utica, Nebraska.

It being an interstate shipment, and beyond the jurisdiction of the Board, nevertheless after some negotiation with the railroad company the matter was settled to the satisfaction of complainant, and the overcharge refunded.

(No. 218.)

C. P. Barlow, Petitioner,

vs.

Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company, Defendant.

This was an informal petition, filed March 30, 1893, asking for an elevator site at Craig, Nebraska.

A copy of the petition was served upon defendant railroad company. Defendant railroad company, through its superintendent in this state, filed an answer with the Board saying they would offer petitioner an elevator site which would be satisfactory.

Not hearing further from petitioner, we presume the matter was settled to his satisfaction, and the case is dismissed.

(No. 219.)

Stark Brothers,

Complainants,

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company, Defendant.

This was an informal complaint, filed June 18, 1893, tting forth that the agent of the railroad company man-

ages the other elevator at complainant's town and thereby has the advantage of complainant in the matter of telegrams regarding the prices of grain.

The matter was referred to the railroad company, which promised that they would see there was no advantage taken by their agent in regard to the matter.

TABLES.

COMPILED FROM THE REPORTS OF THE DIF-FERENT RAILROAD COMPANIES.

NAMES OF RAILROADS WITH ABBREVIATIONS.

Burlington & Missouri River Railroad
in NebraskaB. & M. R.
Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Oma-
ha Railway
Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley
Railroad, F., E. & M. V.
Sioux City & Pacific RailroadS. C. & P.
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific RailwayC., R. I & P.
The Missouri Pacific Railway M. P. R.
Pacific Railway in Nebraska P. R. in Nebr.
Kansas City and Beatrice Railroad K. C. & B.
Union Pacific RailwayU. P.
Omaha & Republican Valley Railway. O. & R. V.
St. Joseph & Grand Island Railroad St. J. & G. I.
Kansas City & Omaha Railroad K. C. & O.
Kearney & Black Hills Railway K. & B. H.
Sioux City, O'Neill & Western RailwayS. C., O'N. & W.

TABLE I.

TABLE II.
MILEAGE BY STATES.

		Line represent- ed by Capital Stock.	by by Stock.	rietary		-tourts в Хеаг	-фегаф- - тавой-	nnder ints	Ra	Ralls.
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E. & M. V	South Dakota		90 :	 						
C. & P.	Iowa Nebraska							10 66		
	Illinois	181 98		*****	_		986 47		98	
	Iowa		442 80		306 96				187 79	
R. I. & D	Missouri		88			:				
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	Todian Territory		167 80			88 83				
	Oklahoma		56 40							
	Missouri	287 74	876 78	8	61 65			21 63	86 88	•
	Kansas	26	82 97	282				66		413

TABLE II.—CONTINUED.

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P	Missouri Kansas Colorado Utah		35.98		18 36				3 08	296 99 296 09 501 19
& B. V.	Lowa Nebraska Kansas Missouri	1	242 66				414 44 67 60 16	90.80	206 30 19 01	
J. & G. I. C. & O. & B. H. C. O'N. & W.		1128 37 112 53 193 68 120 72 120 14					138 138 138 138 138 138 138 138 138 138			138 1112 193 66 72 189 189 189 189

TABLE III.
NEBRASKA MILEAGE.

ROADS	Mani Line	Branches and Spurs	Line of proprietary Co.	New Line constructed during the year	Fotal, including track- age rights	Per cent of entire line operated
B. & M. R. C., St. P., M. & O. F., E. & M. V. S. C. & P. C. R. I. & P. M. P. P. R. in Nebr. K. C. & B. U. P. O. & R. V. K. & B. H. St. J. & G. I. K. C. & O'N. & W.	26,95 248 33 102,87 71,26 20,10 463,53 171,78 65,72 112,53 193,68	139.73 487.97 118.86 3.95 242.66	57.73	52.26	2253 07 261.85 985.19 26.95 248.33 279.46 71 20.10 467.48 414.44 65.72 112.53 193.68 129.16	.75 .25 .06 .18 .97 100 .25 .86 100 .44
Total				69.03	5529.22	.46

TABLE IV.

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF ASSETS, JUNE 30, 1892, TO JUNE 30, 1893.

		Cost of Road Includ- ing Equipments.	Stock o	f Other esOwned	Bonds o	f Other esOwned	Stock of Other Bonds of Other Other Permanent In- CompaniesOwned CompaniesOwned vestments and Loans	anent In-		wned.	Lands Owned. Cash and Current Assets.	Current
NAME OF ROAD	1892	1893	1842	1893	1892	1893	1892	1893	1892	1893	1892	1898
C. B & Q. (Entire Line)	198,444,672	199,763,668	90	9,982,551 10,016,763		8,600,990	6,692,280 8,600,490 2,488,83 1,979,469	1,979,469	829,218	8 695,305	695,305 7,617,015 6,165,782	6,165,782
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P R in Nebr	2,190,800	2,150,800							:			
D P & B.	155,348,481	155,662,567 18,908,421 18,908,90 8,436,627 84,725,083 6,818,354	18,908,421	18,908,90	8,436,627	84,025,083	6,818,354	6,648,438 9,580,850	9,580,850	8,548,439	8,548,439 17,456,029 15,405,845	15,405,845
O&RV	8,644,440	1,762,085	:			06.300	18,154	13,154	:		3,53	65.832
St J&GI	13,240,961	13	97,800	97,800							209,244	194,235
K C& O	7,123,000	7,123,000									270,199	344,191
BC. CR & W	06,8 8,0		***	******	**** ***	****		,			010,03	181,10

TABLE IV.—CONCLUDED.

NAME OF	Materi	Material and Supplies	Sinkin	Sinking Fund.	Sune	Sundries	Profit a	Profit and Loss	To	Total	981	98.8
ROAD	1892	1893	1892	1893	1892	1893	1892	1898	1892	1893	вөтэпІ	ресте
C, B & Q, Control of the stand	\$1,462,229 775,88. 69,981 1,103,038 990,343 2,029,282	\$1,764,211 1,036,633 2,004 1,772,932 1,069,500 1,973,948 4,034	8,14,713,060 191,000 8,514,479 101,438	8, 15,254,479 8 213,000 3,984,922 131,561 19,888	488,437 280,657 903,100 5,543,76? 15,780	\$ 238,473 238,473 11,863,100 5,958,870 12,231	2,040,978 2,040,978 16,978 276,739 276,739 57,888	2,9178,017 76,975 2,919,049 832,178 64,683	\$ 286,730,619 65,769,240 65,166,295 7,768,340 110,519,863 262,082,627 11,425,548 1,855	8.24.240.669 61.905.081 7.886.847 113.728.620 2.77.81.72 7.78.620 11.781.620 11.781.630 11.781.636 11.781.636 11.781.636 11.781.636 11.781.636 11.781.636	3,000	. 6,9

TABLE V.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES JUNE 30, 1892, TO JUNE 30, 1898

NAME OF BOAD.	Capital Stock	Stock.	Funded Debt.	Debt.	Current Liabilities		Accrued Interest on Funded Debt Not Yet Payable,	nterest on Sebt Not yable,
	1892	1833	1892	1893	1892	1893	1892	1898
C. B. & Q. (entire system) C. St. P., M. & O. St. P., M. & V. S. C. & P. C. & P. C. P. P. C. P. R. I. & P. P. R. in Nebr. U. P. C. & B. U. P. C. & B. V. & R. H. St. J. & G. I.	8 76.302,40.4 34.050,126 34.050,000 2.088,400 47.446,575 1,065,800 60.888,500 2.420,550 4.760,000	9 # 20 9 L - 12 10 2 F 9	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	2 2	\$ 4,213,250 1,177,025 1,2,060 1,642,008 7,311,995 445,849 6,892,243 2,999,34*	- cor- acc;	\$ 51,332 191,448 118,200 733,116 62,650 70,000	8 142,834 118,235 118,235 788,033 768,540 62,650 70,000
S. C. O'N. & W	3,6 10,000	3,670,000	2,340,000	2,340,000	20,368	45,638		

TABLE V.—CONTINUED.

NAME OF BOAD	Other Liabilities.	abilities.	Profits and Loss.	nd Loss.	Total.	eJ.	···· əsı	981
	1892	1893	1892	1893	1892	1598	Increa	ресте
C. B. & Q. (centifre system) C. B. & Q. (centifre system) F. B. & M. & O. (centifre system) F. B.	8 24.386,6·5 22.700 2.346,547 8,213,0.0 145,151	8 24,396,6·6 * 25,256,542 # 12,080,169 2,346,547	23,700 236,69 8,13,00,169 8,13,00,189 22,700 236,694 1,076,8139 1,076,125 23.60 6,1 1,076,815 1,	1,763,125 1,763,125 1,673,722 2,24,8,2 3,659,471 39,015,085	62.26.739,240 67.759,240 67.759,240 67.783,363 17.783,363 110,519,863 2,635,649 262,092,627 11,423,548 11,423,548 11,423,548	6244, 40,669 67 61,968,081 68,281 118,782,697 118,782,697 118,782,697 118,782,697 118,781,686 11781,686 113,900,711 781,686 60,92,114	14, 40, 669 87, 510, USO 4 8, 253, 147 17, 886, 847 18, 782, 847 18, 782, 843 18, 772, 817 27, 77, 817 18, 186 17, 568 11, 781, 686 18, 900, 111 61, 184 18, 900, 121 17, 581, 285 18, 900, 121 18, 9	66.851 1.3.454 894,089 894,089 91,168 91,168 61,184 61,184 89,137 80,137

TABLE VI.

INCOME ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1893.

TOI T	Deficit from operation	6 61,759 6 91,168 76,975 76,975 17,628 6,145
nolti	Surplus from opers	\$707,804 8.0,142 101,846 807,861 142,749 1,421,749 22,731
tən ı	mori šinemyga rediO income	
ds on k.	Preferred	11.830
Dividends on stock.	овишо)	\$ 3,820,221
ns of	Total deductions, ex- clusive of dividends paid and payments over net volume	8 8 740 271 1.792,636 1.256,482 1.256,482 1.792,636 3,799,382 48,063 9 9 0 030 436,483 56,885 56,885 17,028
deductio	Other deductions	\$ 664,341 220 489,446 64,219 3,658,683 19,583 63,971
Deductions from income additional to deductions of operating expenses.	Webraska proportion of taxes, mileage basis	
	Taxes.	24,119 24,117 24,117 18,601 737,107 313,397 8,638 554,510 88,688 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 12,439 13,439 13,439 13,439 14,431 18,431
	Rents.	\$340,316 815,341 132,300
	Interest on interest- bearing current ll- abilities owed	102,892
Dedu	bebrut no see est deb	\$ 6,444,123 1,456,416 1,008,35 1,008,35 1,008,35 2,781,756 5,146,888 28,880 28,880 48,00 135,600 135,600
	F ROAD.	entire system). V © O. P Dr
	NAME OF	C., B. & Q. (enthress, St. P., M. & O. St. P., M. & O. St. P., M. & O. St. P., R. I. & P. St. I. & P. St. I. & P. St. I. Nebr. V. & & B. I. & & B

TABLE VI.—CONTINUED.

	from	Income fr	om Other	Sources.		
NAME OF ROAD.	Gross Earnings f	Dividends on Stock Owned	Interest on Bonds Owned	Miscellancous In-	Total Income	Operating Expenses.
C., B.& Q. (entire system) C., S. P. M. & O F. E. & M. V. S. C. & P. C., R. I. & P. M. P. P. R. In Nebr. K. C. & B. U. P. O. & R. V. K. H. & B. St. J. & G. I. K. C. & O'N. & W.	\$33,593,865 \$,190,820 \$,590,965 \$646,791 20,996,692 11,526,189 \$5,533 14,105 19,744,039 1,393,828 194,718 194,718 194,718	117,148 254,416 290,015	8,100 6,379 874,268 72,875	962 90 155,595 178,495	553,170 21,643,704 12,031,475 22,299,564 132,617 1,164,445 318,082	6,328,756 2,232,636 389,119 14,822,526 8,089,726 62,321 43,028 11,317,784 1,300,765 53,199 698,560

TABLE VII.

GROSS EARNINGS FROM OPERATION FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30TH, 1892.

Freight Service OtherResources	Earnings per Train Mile. Car Mileage, Switch- ing, Hental, Track, Etc. Total Gross Earn- lugs fro Opera- tion. Gross Earnings per mile Expenses per	81 82 \$ 145,246 \$9,060,040 \$83,867 \$2,355 \$15,235 \$15,
Freig	Mile Mile Treight Rev-	04 \$8.911,794 16 649.951 5 235,735 73 664 96 7.666.867 78 83.902 10 4.813.904 10 4.813.904 10 10 28 10 28
Service	Total Passenger Earnings per Train	\$ 3.853,082 \$ 307,535 \$ 10,535 \$ 10,535 \$ 11,535 \$ 11,741 \$
Passenger Service	Mail, Express and Other Resources	\$ 763,193 14,249 14,713 684,978 8,474 8,477 8,470 8,474 8,476 8,476 8,470 8,470 8,708 17,23 17,2
	Passenger Reveuue	\$ 3,089,888 231,300 621,930 621,930 7,105 24,178 1,042,544 807,007 21,889 188,008 28,4500
	NAME OF ROAD.	18. & M. M. & O. S. S. P. M. P.

TABLE VIII.

OPERATING EXPENSES FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1893, FOR NEBRASKA (MILEAGE BASIS.)

NAME OF ROAD.	Maintainance of Ways and structure —Amount	Maintaina'e of equip- ment—Amount	Conducting transpor- tation—Amount	General expenses— Amount	Summary-Grand to- tal operating ex- penses, Nebraska
B. & M. (entire system). C. St. P., M. & O. F., E. & M. V. S. C. & P. C. R. I. & P. M. P. P. R. in Nebr. K. C. & B. U. P. O. & R. V. K. & B. U. P. St. J. & G. I. K. C. & O. S. C., O'N. & W.	\$1,447,656 197,788 366,799 24,348 196,634 300,174 23,264 7,413 566,217 210,664 8,749 49,823 35,495 15,206	\$867,973 92,244 244,823 11,421 129,529 \$18,907 1,139 836,356 168,146 7,239 28,613 12,375 17,183	\$2,882,688 274,179 945,353 54,679 460,820 730,171 33,63 20,987 1,711,018 538,016 27,026 118,093 83,310 49,787	\$469,763 52,284 141,598 7,174 102,966 106,936 2,910 13,487 472,620 253,582 10,183 36,147 17,776 10,512	\$5,668,078 616,497 1,698,575 97,638 1,456,148 60,448 43,028 3,586,213 1,170,399 253,199 32,677 148,958 92,690
Total	\$3,449,630	82,736,552	\$7,935,756	\$1,697,938	\$15,813,883

NEBRASKA BOARD OF TRANSPORTATION.

STATISTICS OF PREIGHT AND PASSENGER'S. TABLE IX.

		DANSDOD'NA WYDAS	٠,
DD /	ASKA BOARD OF TR	DANGDOD TATIBAT	
DI	IDEA DOARD OF TR	AMSTORIATION.	
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s Su	Ketimated cost of carryi	RANSPORTAŤIŮN. 51	ر
	eno regnessag eno pai		
	Estimated cost of carry-	\$8.888 88888	
	Average amount receiv- ed per mile per passen- ger		
	Nebraska proportion of passengers carried one one one of the carried o	83,091,422 9,074,098 9,074,098 12,20,131 18,011,665 18,054,108 11,028,131 11,028,131 11,028,131 11,028,131 11,027,113 11,097,113 11,097,113	
RS.			
Passengers.	Average amount receiv-	1. "	
ASSI		011,042 1.80,742 1.80,742 1.80,637 1.80,637 1.80,637 1.80,638 1.80	
124	Number of passengers	21.88 8 8 8 8 8 1 8 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
	Average distance each person carried, miles	6448888 : 4588888 :	
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	Number of passengers carried especial described esp	200 0 0 0 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	
		24 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28	
	Nebraska proportion of tons carried one mile	460,025,428 58,402,905 141,387,390 141,387,340 161,178,467 1760,823 40,664,233 21,351,706 4,117,479 4,117,479 1,466,171,173	
		25.5.2.1.4.6.5.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1	
	per ton per mile	0-00 00 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	
급	for each ton	#2842842 :5844288 :	
FREIGHT	Average amount rec'd	<u> </u>	
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E	Number of tons carried	678 088 088 089 089 089 089 089 089 089 08	
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	Average distance haul		
	estring tevenue	25.00 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	
	Number of tons carried	8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.8.	
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BLE X.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC MOVEMENTS IN WHOLE TONS. (NEBRASKA.)

	Origin	Originating on this Road. Whole Tons.	n this R	oad. W	/hole To	ns.	Recei	ved from	n Other Com Whole Tons.	Comm.	Received from Other Common Carriers. Whole Tons.	ers.
NAME OF ROAD.	півл	Flour	Other Mill Pro-		Торвесо.	Fruits and Vege-	alsrĐ	Elour	Other Mill Pro-		ооввооТ	-929V bas stiurA , seldst
*B. & M. & O. St. P., M. & O. St. P., M. & O. St. R. W. V. St. C. & P. P. M. & P. M. & P. M. & P. M. P. R. In Nebr. *P. R. In Nebr. C. & C. W. K. & B. H. K. & B. H. K. & C. & C. St. C. N. & W. St. C. & C. St. C. O. N. & W.	1,094,767 91,168 359,747 108,293 109,476 27,889 27,889 273,804 44,528 119,174 148,824 148,824 148,824	24,851 1,106 10,950 190 2,485 3,106 6,966 6,966 6,966 6,968 1,183 4,183 179	14,554 387 2,905 1,455 1,455 1,819 1,570 1,570 1,005 164	26.20 26.20	25 6 77 8 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	24,756 9,783 9,783 9,783 11,797 1,038 1,038 1,038 1,038	459,408 116 1,547 64,318 45,940 45,426 11,455 338,250 34,298 34,298 101,207 20	11,342 1,351 1,128 1,128 1,134 1,417 283 4,851 3,623 1,840 1,840	6,022 86 477 411 602 752 752 150 1,479	9,829 1,266 1,266 1,34 982 1,120 2,308 5,647 1,485 2,19	4	88,347 2,150 300 8,300 8,834 10,208 2,208 84,22 13,137 20,831 20,531
Total	2,696,535	61,079	35,828	174,628	113	60,063	1,114,098	27.598	14,602	23,826	274	213,482

TABLE X.—CONTINUED.

Received from Other Carriers.	House Products Poultry, Etc Wool Hides and Leather	2,400 7,514 7,512 2,441 128,832 450 21 23 2,441 128,832 208 34 18,012 2,245 19,012 210 751 73 34 12,883 311 939 939 305 16,104 1,667 8,735 2,622 85,059 7,760 1,662 38 127 1734 1,784 10 24 1734 2,10 24 38,019 1734 3,17 3,17 1734 4,111 1,111 1,111	5,976 27,983 18,076 5,859 31,201,900
Received	Dressed Meats	348 22, 22, 23, 24, 34, 43, 10, 10	889
ns.	Merchandise	125,381 155,283 18,380 2,275 2,301 18,584 12,588 15,528 15,672 19,410 2,868 11,960 19,046 11,177 2,255 11,700 3,238 5,344 129,309 11,700 3,238 5,344 129,309 11,700 3,238 5,344 1,075 5,344 1,075 5,34	303,617 372,984
Originating on this Road—Whole Tons.	Hides and Leather	2,713 8, 2,713 8, 2,713 8, 1,004 1,0	609 7
Road-	Poultry, Etc	4,161 2,456 07 40 108 56 416 2,45 520 307 2,701 2,518 596 64 1,384	9,987 5,694
g on this	Oth er Packing House Products	1,5786 4, 422 1,578 1,973 1,97	47.384 9,
ginatin	streak bessetd	3,449 1,768 3,449 4,312 38,646 123	82,797
Ori	Live Stock	308,173 62,865 100,919 3,041 38,817 38,521 38,720 52,426 52,426 52,426 11,534 21,534 10,178	747,149
	NAME OF ROAD.	*B & M. & O. C. St. P. M. & O. S. C. & P. M. & O. S. C. & P. *Q. R. I. & P. *M. P. R. In Neb U. P. *P. R. In Neb U. & R. V. K. & B. H. *K. & A. G. I. *K. C. & O. S. C. O'N. & W.	Total

TABLE X.—CONTINUED.

		ō	gina	Originating on This Road.	This Ros	rq.		Ų	Rec.1	Rec ived from Other Carriers.	om Ot	her Ca	rriers.	
NAME OF ROAD.	Anthracite Coal	. IsoS enonimutia	Соке	Отев	Stone, Sand, Etc .	Lumber	suosasilessiM	lacote Coal	Bituminous Co 11	Соке	sərO	Stone, Sand, Etc	190mnJ	suoənsiləəsiK
*B, & M. C. St. P. M. & O. F. R. & M. V. S. C. & P. *C. R. I. & P. *T. R. & P.	6,709 259 3,310 1,508 670 838	242,724 11,354 10,9:0 24,272 30,346	2,083 385 385 268 268	14,670 131 15,469 53 1,467 1,833	73,097 5,214 26,062 7,308 7,308 8,137	93,218 10,959 36,251 295 9,321 11,662	129,006 24,201 4,784 571 12,900 16,125	42,024 2,846 12,746 5,748 5,263	347,200 9,204 60,743 13,107 34,720 4,340	6,640 76 268 95 64 830	8,327 628 162 76 163 415	32,537 660 785 10,865 3,253 4,067	237,708 5,564 50,221 6,718 23,770	123,766 4,395 9,183 865 12,376 15,470
U.P. O. & B. V. K. & B. H. FSt. O. & G. I. K. C. & O. S. C., O'N. & W.	1,783	250,245 2,749 150 4,858 4,479	809 52 1,220	1,582	12,895 27,440 419 9,679 4,307	2,090 1,204 11,500 1,445 1,445	87,162 5,550 23,086 2,350	12,173 4,828 1,698 1,296 5,9.3	116,130 108,866 5,664 62,253 18,182 19,451	34,270 62 17 21	30,545	16.198 5,870 483 1,776 2,078	106,096 64,768 5,166 23,974 13,345 8,620	21,681 8,047 5,743 1,068
Total	18,238	582,912	5.097	35,208	174.852	224.927	309,614	98,717	799,860	42,953	7.984	78.572	570,663	307.138

TABLE X.—CONTINUED.

NAME OF ROAD.	sij		891018 [EVB	ио	achinery. re and Sheet Metal. All 10 to	удэцірэв	ar and Sheet Metal	snent, Brick	gricultural Im-	agons, Tools,	stoup	bis suriture blodesuo H Goods
*B & M. *C O. *C O	14,568 1,787 1,456 1,821 18,080 11,98		1 11111111111	1,563 1,563 195 195 195 105 105 105 105 105 105 105 105 105 10		2,768 1,248	23, 468 23, 346 24, 346 27, 283 27, 203 62, 686	4,460 12,906 12,906 107 117,480 6,429 1,515 19,1515	2, 1, 294 1, 294 1, 126 1, 126			1,586 1,586 1,586 1,586 1,388 1,736 887 887 887 887 887 887 887 887 887 88
Total	35.279	8.964	47	3.790	1.610	10.976	56.907	42.070	19.202	5.723	17.584	32,839

*Estimated. †Entire Line.

TABLE X.—CONTINUED.

				Be	ceived	from of	Received from other carriers.	ders.				-nigi -JV n	p'oer erers	njeq
NAME OF ROAD.	,	Sugar	·····norI	slisA	Масһіпету	Bar and sheet	Сетепт, brick & Глие	Agricultural stnemelqmi	Wagons, tools,	Liquors	b a s erutiure s a d sb'g blodesnod	Total tonnage or stine in a dine in salas in or dine in	Total tonnage res refro morf	Total tonnage ha
*B. & M.	21,955	4 :	760	2,080	16,734	45,352	24,438	17,846	10,680	24,429	13,560	2,014,945	1,679,920	4,258,812
S. C. & P	379		:		1,193		685	158	7,017	736	435	98	130,078	159,639
व्यं व्यं व्यं	2,744	1,420	95	255	2,091		3,054	2,230	1,385	3,052	1,356	201	207,490	425,812 532,361
K. & B. H. K. & B. H. K. & B. H. K. & C. K. B. H. K. & G. I. &	22,295 1,690 205 428 564	12,962 1,255 2,151 20	118	2,206	15,164 1,982 328 150 150	52,671	14,063 6,940 87 2,269 1,608	2,762 2,762 403 883 681	7,159 1,163 407 270	19.068 3,639 1,686 781	1,606 1,606 1,519 730	956,789 401,398 56,754 172,900	1,265,196 340,879 15,070	2,221,985 741,177 70,824 388,099 221,209
Total	52,944	34,069	1,824	4,874	40,502	108,844	58,737	48,233	25,627	59,248	34,462	5,(91,623	4,114,884	0,399,647

* Estimated; † entire lines.

TABLE XI. EQUIPMENTS.

CE.	natic	avolasV	2, 1, 100 1, 921 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2
CARS IN PREIGHT SERVICE.	With train Automatic brake.	Janney	7,712
3HT 8	train ke.	auoingV	
FREI	With tra brake.	Westinghouse	8,652 1,737 1,737 2,220 2,230 3,130 8,130
NI S	ber.	Number at end of year	87.788 8.786 8.786 11, 21.33 11, 21.
CAB	Number.	Added during the year	1,050 556 560 560 70 70 70 80 80 80
ER	Automatic coupler.	suoltaV	27.3
E.	Automati coupler.	Miller	. 55
CARS IN PASSENGER SERVICE.	Train brake.	Westinghouse	202 202 202 203 203 203 203 203 203 203
RS IN	ber.	Total at end of year	202 202 203 40 40 43 43 43 44 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45 45
CA	Number	Added during the year	25
, i	train num- and		68
LOCOMOTIVES.	With train brake, num- ber and kind.	Westinghouse	282 282 282 283 283 283 283 283 283 283
)COM(iber.	rasy to bus ta latoT	882 882 882 883 883 883 883 883 883 883
Ĭ.	Number.	A dded during the year.	821 1 128
		NAME OF ROAD.	B. & M. & O. St. P. M. & O. St. P. M. & O. St. P. M. & O. St. C. & P. M. & P. M. & P. M. P.

TABLE XII.
CONSUMPTION OF FUEL BY LOCOMOTIVES. (NEBRASKA.)

			COAL	T.				· p		WOOD	OD.	
	Anthracite.	Bituminous.	nous.	Average	1	Pounds Consumed per Mile.	samed	əmns	Hard	rd.	Soft.	į.
NAME OF ROAD,	Tons snoT	····· snoT	Average Price	Таязаепист	··· ··· tdgier'i	Zaidotiwg	Construction.	Total Tons Con	To red m u N Cords	Average Price	Youmber of	Average Pricebro5 rsq
1. 1. 2. M. 4. 0. 1. 1. 1. 2. M. 4. 0. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.		516,539 33,647 108,825 749,739 749,154 7,227 1,601 1,891 1,991 34,440 3,566	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.0	50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 5	74. 101.08 179.16 179.16 178.88 178.8	54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 5	23.47.85.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25	516,539 33,647 108,824 14,079 149,341 52,227 1,601 1,601 3,440 3,440 3,440 3,440 3,466	18,082 869 38 324 324 163	25.27 2.27 2.20 2.50 2.50 2.50 3.50	9,952 482 3,273 154 10,652 807 133	2.2.2.3.191.2.2.3.192.2.3.4.4.8.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4.4.8.4

TABLE XIII.

RENEWAL OF RAILS AND TIES FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1893 (NEBRASKA.)

(•		(MOON MATE O - M - MATE
		Total cost	\$227,307 48,442 22,620 1,052 361,747 34,462 117,062 37,838
	.selt	Total number of	426,144 84,059 52,591 2,017 784,051 18,406 19,840 19,840 19,840 19,840 19,840 175,895 11,697 5,900
	sn		\$ 1,239 95,574 122,524 130 1,368
	Various	Average cost	8 14 04 8
IEB.		Mumber	4,131 231,976 306,310 3,288
NEW TIES	ن	taco latoT	\$31,820 256 20,087 887 44,082 12,970 35,086
	Cedar	Average cost	8. 455 255 255 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1 4 1
	0	Дишрет	70,713 1,025 36,525 944 107,021 70,170
		tsoo IstoT	\$195,487 12,533 665 222,081 12,406 3,197 11,286 11,286 11,082 3,422 3,422
	Oak.	Average cost	20.88.29 24.00 24.00 24.00 25.
		Mumber	355,431 16,069 1,073 1,073 446,064 34,462 5,814 1,343 1,343 2,467 2,467 5,900
		Total cost	5. 5,345 979 14,601 30,438 506,723 18,377 29,446
NEW RAILS.		Average cost at I noituditable to	66 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 99 9
¥ B	-bra	Weight per ya	473 473 430 430 430 430 430 430 430 430 430 43
NE		snoT—fe s t8	3,990 168 29 14,44 14,638 951 15,876 1,107
		snoT—no1I	1,338
		NAME OF ROAD	B. & M. S. C. & P. M. & O. S. C. & P. M. & O. S. C. & P. M. M. M. P. R. C. B. & W. W. T. C. B. & W. W. T. C. B. & W. T. C. B. & W. T. C. B. & W. T. & B. H. T. & B. H

*Entire System.

TABLE XIV. BRIDGES-(NEBRASKA).

AL.	Aggregate length—feet	148,543 160 4,507 160 49,319 1,971 13,754 2,518 2,912 9,912 9,912 13,429	255,651
TOTAL	Мишьет	28.28.28.28.29.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.20.	3,214
NO	Махітит Іепуть—Геет.	116	
COMBINATION	Minimum length—feet	160	Ī
MBI	Aggregate length-feet.	320 160 3,219 1,031	4,730
5	Митьет	.01-100	30
	Maximum length—feet	3,960 2,760 230 380 380 1,280 1,280 1,003	
DEN	Minimum length—feet	a :8 :8 4 4 :4 8 8 8 5 8 1	
WOODEN	Aggregate length-feet	4,682 4,682 6,886 5,083 1,777 1,777 2,104 8,968 9,912 13,429	192,193
	Number	1,815 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	2,351
IRON	Maximum length—feet.,	985 100 110 128 128 128 111 1,338	
	—дервар—цеес	28 45 7 7 34 34	
	Aggregate length-feet	416 100 155 35,700 777 11,977 414	51,404
		21 2 30 32 2	485
	Maximum length—feet .	98 98 97	
NE	Minimum lengthfeet	91	
STONE	Aggregate length—feet	3,514 43 43	8,579
	тэбшиЙ		348
	NAME OF ROAD.	B. & M & O	Total

TABLE XV.

REPORTS OF ACCIDENTS. (NEBRASKA.)

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	Tres-	Killed	∞ :s: - : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :
		beruţal	8 3 4 8 4
•	Passen- gers.	Killed	
	1	berutal	151 151 151 151 151 151 151 151 151 151
	Total-	Killed,	
	.		: :: :::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::
88	Other Em- ployes.	bənışal	
ritch- Oth En		Killed	:::::
EMP	Switch- men.	berutal	
		Killed	8 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
	Fire- men.	bərutaI	
	* •	Killed	: : :: :: :: :: :
	NAME OF ROAD.		B. & M. & O. C. St. P., M. & O. C. St. P., M. & O. C. & P. M. & V. C. & P. M. & V. C. & P. M. P. R. In Nobr. W. C. B. & N. W. W. C. B. & N. W. O. & R. V. O. & R. V. V. & B. H. St. J. & O. N. & W. C. & O. N. & W. C. & C. O. N. & W. Total.

TABLE XVI.
EMPLOYES AND SALARIES.

	Ger	General officers.	cers.	5	General office cierks	floe	Sta	Station agents.	ents.	•	Other station men.	lon
NAME OF ROAD.	Number	Total yearly com-	Average daily compensation	митреки	Total yearly com- pensation	Average daily	Number	Total yearly com-	Average daily	Number	Total yearly com- pensation	Average daily compensation
- P-32	3-01-	\$149,537 3,000 34,167 4,332	88 82 12 22 6 13 8 18	8488	\$276,958 2,592 6,330 16,745	25.178 4.55.778	2888 c. 5	\$159,839 67,295 1,895	212955	418 88 23	\$206,410 46,239 31,506 2,873	5883
M. F. K. T. & F. M. D.	: 9	19,934	.60	.04	29,013	201	280	30,925				
DO.	1-4	2,032		500	2.6,080		183	1,900	113	523		2 28
D. & R. V K. & B. H 1. & J. & J.	800	3,426	4-	8 4 4	2,011	1.84	9277	5,895	43.5		15,583	
100	22 ;	2,931	8	4 :	3,216	:	15	14,22	11.		: .	
Tot 1	188	\$367,319		190	\$584,360		794	\$584,764		1235	8732,277	

TABLE XVI-CONTINUED.

EMPLOYES AND SALARIES.

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Other Trainmen.	Total yearly com- moissaned with the companies of the com	\$2,886 \$3,885 \$3,885 \$4,815 \$7,446 \$2,044 \$2,044 \$0,142 \$1,965 \$7,706 \$6,880 \$4,009 \$4,009
Other		252 250 200 200 200 200 200 200 200 200
	Average dally compensation	\$\frac{\pi}{\pi} \cdot \pi \cdot \p
Conductors	Total yearly com-	\$20,336 \$1,983 \$1,983 \$1,983 \$1,163 \$1,163 \$2,167 \$2,107 \$2,365 \$2,36
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	A verage daily noitasnequoo	20000001-0000000 5288884-688689
Firemen.	Total yearly com-	20,784 71,762 71,762 71,762 71,697 1,252 1,557 1
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	NAME OF ROAD.	B. & M. & O. C. St. P., M. & O. C. St. P., M. & O. C. & P. M. & P. C. & P. M. & P. M. & P. M. & P. M. W. W. C. B. & W. W. W. C. B. & W. W. W. C. B. & B. H. W. W. C. & B. H. & B. H. W. C. & C. W. C. & C. C. W. C. & C. C. W. & W. C. & C. C. W. & W. W. T. C. C. W. & W. T. C. W. & W. T. C. W. & W. T. C. W. W. & W. T. C. W. & W. M. & W. T. C. W. & W. T. C. W. & W. T. C. W. & W. W. & W. T. C. W. & W. W.

TABLE XVI.—CONTINUED. EMPLOYES AND SALARIES.

	M	Machinists.		2	Carpenters.	só.	Othe	Other Shop Men.	Men.	Secti	Section Foremen.	men.	Other	Other Trackmen.	neu.
NAME OF ROAD.	Number	Total yearly com- pensation	Average dailynoilssnegmoo	······· rədmuN	Total yearly com-	Average daily compensation	YadmuN	-mos ylasay latoT noltasneq	Average daily	лэдший	Total yearly com-	A verage daily noisensetion	митрец	Total Jearly com-	Average daily compensation
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Total	733	706,617		865	669,180		3,450	2,218,029		1088	651,325		4087	1,665,585	

TABLE XVI

CONCLUDED.	SALARIES.	Onerators and
TABLE AVICONCLODE	EMPLOYES AND SALARIES	Switchmen, Flag

	Swit	Switchmen, Flag and Watchmen	Flag	ôā	Operators and Dispatchers.	and rs.	Oth	Other Employes.	yes.		Total.	
NAME OF ROAD.	улшреци	-mos ylasay letoT noitsensq	Average daily noizasion	Number	Total yearly com- pensation	Average daily compensation	TədmuN	Total yearly com-	Average daily nobsastono.	19dmuN	Total yearly com-	Average daily compensation
B. & M. C. St. P. M. & O.	986	\$172,446	8 21 22 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28	171	\$120,627	25 38 883	88	**	171	7,035	84,175,929 406,190	\$1 80 1 91
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P	367	320,971		214	192,690	2	1,135	943,660	63	8,115	9	2 6
R R	07	7,448	88	176	12,544	Ct -	8.	1,186	03 -	633		
in		3 :50		200 6	5,460		120	10,116	182	181	102,586	28
0.0		GE ::	GI 1	170	2,779		10	725	7	9.1		1169
Total	768	8592,479		462	8419,127		2,032	\$ 1,422,056		20,161	20,161 \$ 14,489,200	

TABLE XVII.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF GROSS EARNINGS PER MILE OF ROAD OPERATED FOR THE YEARS 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, (ENDING JUNE 30.) (NEBRASKA.)

NA · E OF ROAD.	1887	1888	1880	1800	1891	1892	1893
В. & М	\$ 4,653						
C., St. P., M. & O	4,749 3,407				3,007 2,905	3,484	6,203
F. E. & M. V			5,212		3,272	3,731	3,05
C., R. I. & P				2,746		5,496	5,818
M. P.	8,287	7,848			6,788	7,441	7.640
P. R. in Nebr			3,502	395	272		486
U. P	10,239				11,732		13,111
O. & R. V	2,756	2,156	2,147	2,426	1,781	2,529	2.460
K. & B. H					516	1,741	2.019
St. J. & G. I	4,437	3,551	4,198	4,998	2,391	3,945	3,332
K. C. & O			916	996	685	977	1,008
S. C., O'N, & W						1,159	1,504

TABLE XVIII.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATING EXPENSES PER MILE FOR YEARS 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, (ENDING JUNE 30.)

NAME OF ROAD.		1887		1888	1889	1890	1891	ł	1892	ľ	1893
B, & M C, St P, M, & O F, E, & M, V S, C, & P C, R, I, & P M, P P, R, in Nebr		2,147 3,030 1,810 2,616 2,089 5,219	1	2,451 2,385 1,443 2,129 1,577 5,042	3,585 2,982 1,428 3,103 1,526 2,967	2,040 3,345 1,587 2,833 1,881 4,711 740	1,981 2,128 1,448 2,667 3,306 4,726 757	\$	2,28 ! 2,298 1,587 3,409 3,727 4,840 694	*	2,533 4,271 1,638 3,622 4,105 5,362 858
U. P. O. & R. V. K. & B. H. St. J. & G. I K. C. & O		5,760 2 501 2,832		5,971 2,215 2,533	 5,786 1,883 2,773 880	6,659 2,332 2,716 842	8,091 2,141 346 2,306 836		7,158 2,355 729 2,561 734		7,671 2,316 909 2,067



REPORT OF THE BUSINESS TRANSACTED

UNDER

THE PROVISIONS OF THE WAREHOUSE LAW.

DURING THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1893.

REPORT OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

Business done during the year was as satisfactory as could be expected under the circumstances. The crops of the previous year having failed to some extent in the state, the amount of grain sold and stored in warehouses in the state was somewhat diminished. Still being confident that with the experience of the past year the Grain Warehouse Law should be amended as recommended in the report of 1892.

On the 8th day of April, 1892, a change of Chief Grain Inspector for the Department of Omaha took place, R. P. Thompson resigning the position. The Governor appointed W. E. Gordon to succeed him, under whose supervision and close attention to business, the state has gained an enviable reputation as to its grades and fine quality of grain products.

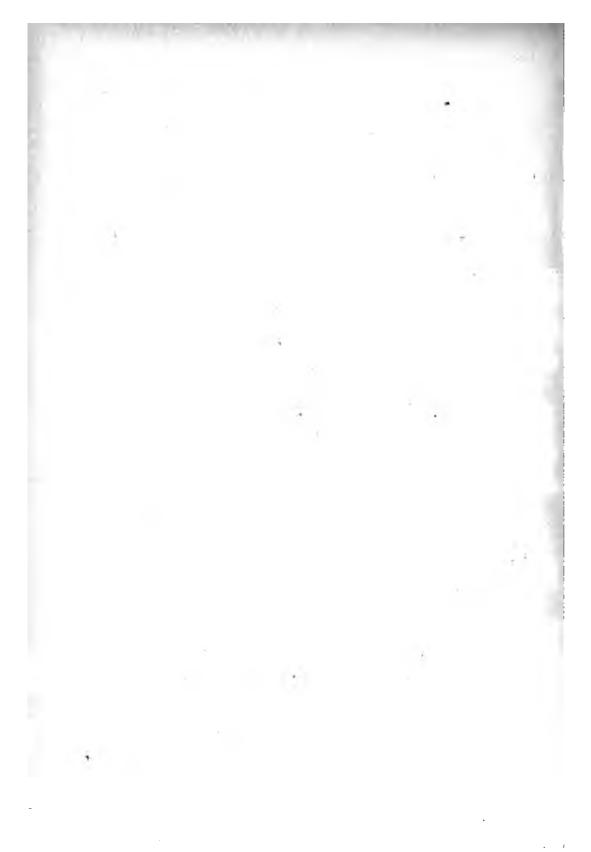
Under the efficient management of State Weighmaster W. B. Taylor, the State weights have given satisfaction to all concerned.

The Board has received many compliments upon the grades of grain established, and the efficiency of the inspection and weights; and it is freely predicted by those who have transacted business with the departments that in a very short time Nebraska grades will take rank with those of other leading markets of the country, which should be a source of pride to the people of the state to know that their

cereals are sought after in other markets, and that their inspection and weights are not questioned.

Thousands of bushels of grain are bought and sold on Nebraska inspection and weights throughout the eastern and southern markets.

During the year mentioned in this Report there passed through the Inspector's hands 4,775,300 bushels of grain and through the Weighmaster's Department 3,456,600 bushels.



WAREHOUSE DEPARTMENT.

We herewith submit a tabulated statement showing in detail business transacted in this department during said time.

Licenses granted Warehouses during the year ending November 30, 1893:

CLASS A.

Woodman & Richie Co., lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 197½, Omaha, granted January 4, 1893. Fee, \$50.00.

CLASS B.

None.

CLASS C.

Western Manufacturing Co., Lincoln. License granted June 7, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

W. R. Bennett & Co., Omaha. License granted August 2, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

Robert Uhlig, Omaha. License granted August 2, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

B. F. Vancil, Lincoln. License granted August 2, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

Mocket & Clark, Lincoln. License granted August 2, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

F. Washburn, Omaha. License granted August 2, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

Williams & Cross, Omaha. License granted October 17, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

Mullen & McLain, Omaha. License granted October 17, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

Wm. Bushman, Omaha. License granted November 23, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

Lincoln Transfer Co., Lincoln. License granted November 23, 1893. Fee, \$5.00.

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EX-
PENDITURES OF THE OMAHA GRAIN IN-
SPECTION DEPARTMENT FROM DECEMBER
IST, 1892, TO NOVEMBER 30TH, 1893, IN- CLUSIVE:
(R. P. Thompson, Chief Inspector from December 1st, 1892, to April 30th, 1893, inclusive.)
RECEIPTS.
Inspecting 2983 cars grain @ 359 \$ 1044.05
EXPENSE.
Rent of office
Current expense—sundries 243.35
Paid on old accounts 67.95
Balance to apply as fees 704.15—\$ 1,044.05
(W. C. Gordon, Chief Grain Inspector from May 1st, 1893, to November 30th, 1893, inclusive.)
RECEIPTS.
Inspecting 1428 cars grain @ 35\(\) \$ 499.80
EXPENSE.
Rent of office\$ 45.50
Current expense 59.40
Balance applied on fees 394.90—\$ 499.80
otal cars inspected December 1st, 1892, to
November 30, 1893, 4411, @ 35# per car. \$ 1,543.85

'otal expense and fees of inspector \$ 1,543.85

NEBRASKA CITY INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

Reports no indebtedness.

Inspected 1906 cars @ 35%, \$667.10.

Applied on fees.

LINCOLN INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

Reports no indebtedness. No. cars inspected 460 @ 35%, \$161.00. Applied on fees.

WEIGHMASTER'S DEPARTMENT OMAHA.

W. B. TAYLOR, Weighmaster.

Statement of receipts and expenditures from December 1st, 1892, to November 30th, 1893:

EXPENSE-Rent, gas, stationery, postage.

December, 1892\$	17.28
January, 1893	50.18
February, 1893	63.80
March, 1893	70.70
April, 1893	10.89
May, 1893	8.35
June, 1893	8.51
July, 1893	7.70
August, 1893	7.50
September, 1893	7.85
October, 1893	7.50
November, 1893	7.5
Total	267.76

WEIGHMASTER'S DEPARTMENT, OMAHA.

December, 1892, to November 30, 1893, inclusive.

RECEIPTS.

Dec.	'92—C	ars	weighed		887
Jan.	'93-	66	66		820
Feb.		44	66		622
March	1'93—	66	44		290
April	'93—	**	**		129
May	'93-	66	44	1111	312
June	'93-	66	66		273
July	'93-	44	**		117
Aug.	'93—	44	**		88
Sept.	'93-	66	**		192
Oct.	'93-	46	**		337
Nov.	'93—	66	44		321
				5.	
T	otal w	eigh	ed		4388 @ 25¢ per c
				30.0	

car, \$1097.00

EXPENSE.

Rent, printing and stationery, help, etc\$	267.76
Balance to apply on fees	829.24

Total\$1097.00

WEIGHMASTER'S DEPARTMENT, LINCOLN.

No. cars weighed 560 @ 25¢ per car, \$140.00; applied on tees.

No indebtedness.

RECAPITULATION.

Total number of cars inspected in Nebrask ber 1st, 1892, to November 30th, 1893, inclusive:	a, Decem-
Omaha Department inspected	4413 cars 1906 cars
Grand Total	6779 cars
Total number cars weighed during same per	iod:
Omaha Department Lincoln Department	4378 cars
Grand total weighed	4938 cars

OMAHA INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

WHEAT.

Total	No. of Cars	*835	**847 **647 *115 *115 *115	3,012
No Grade.	No. of Cars			
No. 4 Winter	No. of Cars	***************************************		25
No. 3 Hard Winter	No. of Cars		400	6
No. 2 Hard Winter	No. of Cars			11/2
No. 2 Red Winter	No. of Cars	********		
No. 3 White Spring.	No. of Cars	******		********
No. 3 Mixed.	No. of Cars			contage treatment
No. 2	No. of Cars		2	
No. 4 Spri g.	No. of Cars	**** ***	*	%
Nc. 3 Spring	No. of Cars	******		13
No. 2 Spring.	No. of Cars	********		60
No. 2 Hard Spring.	No. of Cars	*****		*********
	MONTH AND YEAR.	December	January February March April May June July August September October	Total

*Grade not reported. +No wheat inspected.

OMAHA INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

CORN.

MONTH AND YEAR. December 1882 December 1802 1802 1803 1804 March March May V 100, of Of Cars. No. of Of Cars. 100, of Of Cars.	Corn Yellow Yel	No. 3 No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No Grade	Total
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OMAHA INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

BARLEY.

	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Re- jected	No Grade	Total
MONTH AND YEAR	No. of Cars	No. of				
1892 December					** ***	
January February March	******					
Aprilday				*******		
uneuly						
September Detober						
Total	** *****	2	*******			*******

OMAHA INSPECTION DEPARTMENT. OATS.

	No. 2 White	No. 3 White	No. 4 White	No. 2 Oats Color	No. 3 Oats Color	No 2.	No. 3	No. 4	No Grade	Total
MONTH AND YEAR.	No. of	No of	No. of	No. of	No. of	to oN	No. of	No. of	to .oN	No. of
1892 December. 1893 January 1891 Sebruary Rebruary April March April August June July September September November	02	688888			101-		880	1 1111 11111	_ : :::::::::::::::	#####################################
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OMAHA INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

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MONTH AND YEAR.	No. of Cars	No. of Cars	No. of Cars	No. of	No of Cars	No. of Cars
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January February						
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October		3	1			
Total		8	2			1

NEBRASKA CITY INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

CORN.

The state of the s	No. 2 White	No. 3 White	No. 4 White	No. 2 Corn Color	No. 3 Corn Color	No. 2 Yellow	No. 3 Yellow	No. 2	No. 8	No. 4	Total
MONTH AND YEAR.	to .oN	No. of Cars.	No. of	No. of	No. of	No. of	To .oV	No. of Cars	No. of	No. of	No. of Cars
1892 December	181	18		71	25						172
January Rebruary March April Anyl June Ju y A ngust	25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.25.2	571-x∞- ∞91 0.4	8		MI-OH	H4 : 0140704H	64				88118888888888888888888888888888888888
	13	132			14	CS					16
Total	1273	218	9	81	72	26	2	13	22		1650

NEBRASKA CITY INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

OATS.

	No. 2 White	No. 3 White	No. 4 White	No. 2 Oats C. lor	No. 3 Oats Color	No. 2	No. 3	Total
MONTH AND YBAR.	No. of Cars	No. of	No. of	No, of	No. of	No. of	No. of	to .oV
1882 December 1893 1893 January February March April May June September October November	E 7-41181 :0:021788	4-504041-000			- 8		1 1111111111	
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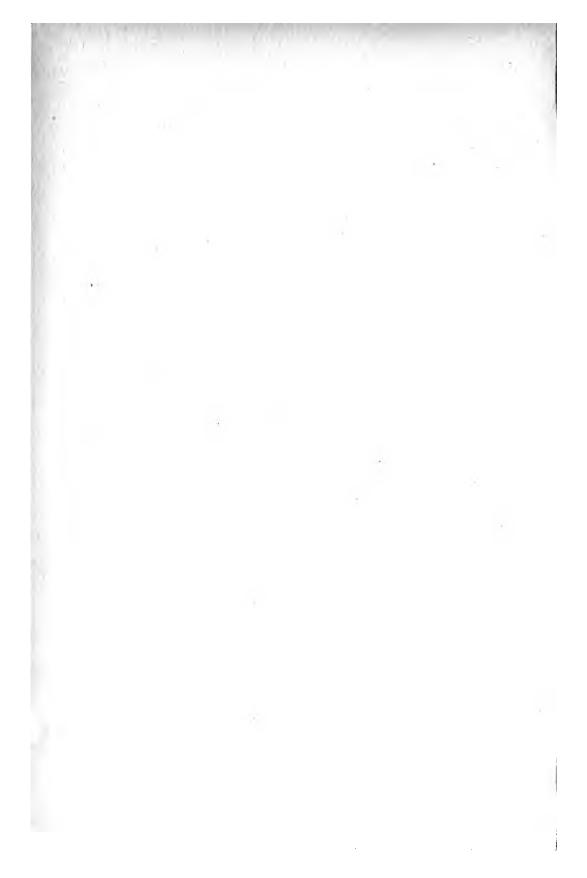
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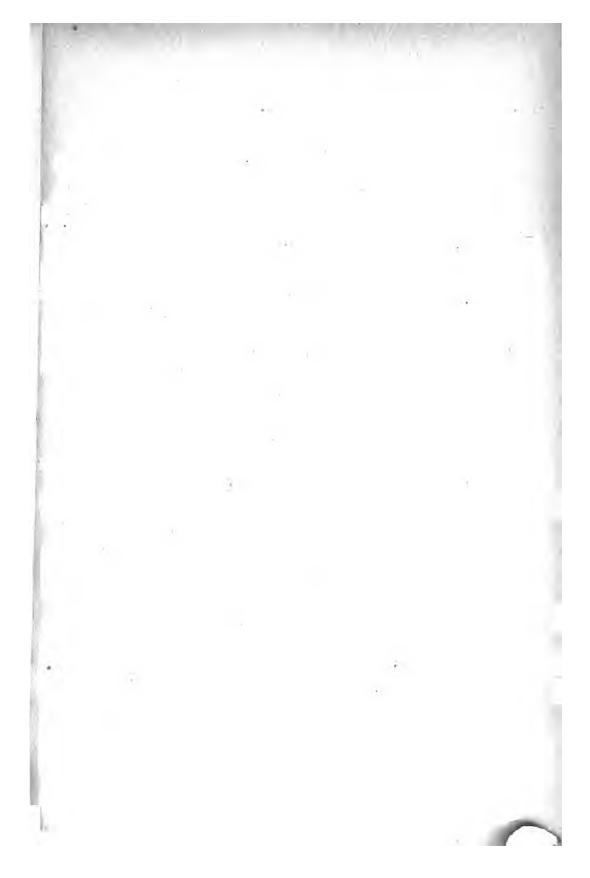
LINCOLN INSPECTION DEPARTMENT.

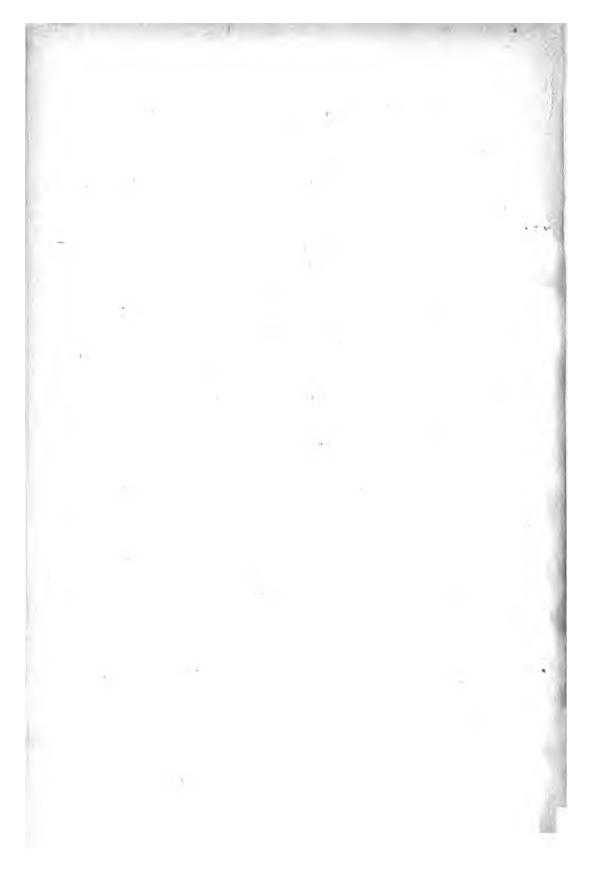
MONTH AND YEAR.	No. Cars Wheat.	No. Cars Corn	No. Cars Oats	No. Cars Rye	No Cars Barley	Total Number Cars.
1892 December	2	1		27		30
January February	6 3	4 7	1 2	3		14 16
April	1	10 68	3	1		16 18 70
May	4	129 90 80	2	1		138 98 81
July		,,,,,,,,	,	*******	,,,,,,,,,	
September October November		****		******		
Total	20	389	14	37	7.1.	460

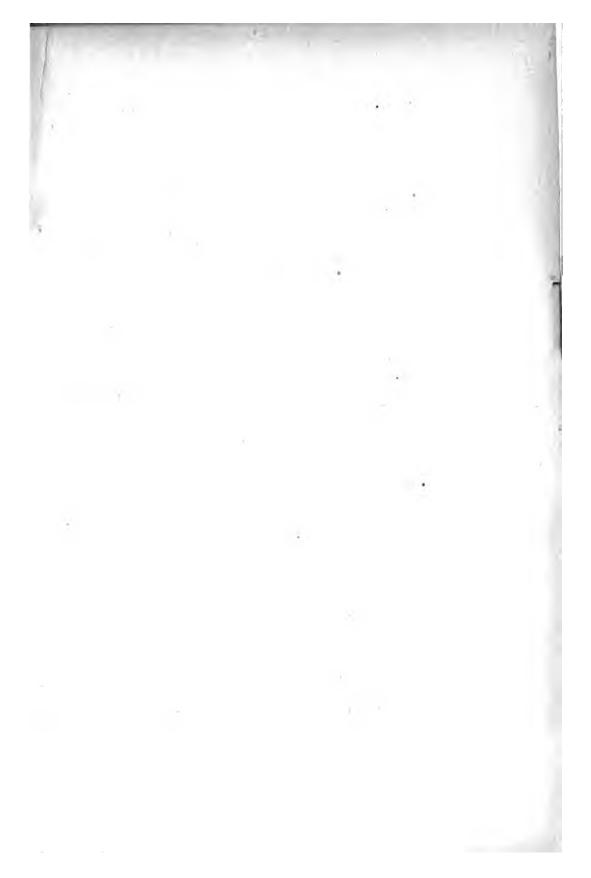
WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT-OMAHA.

MONTH AND YEAR	No.of Cars	No. of Bushels
1892	1	1.00
December	877	613,900
January	820	574.000
February	622	435,400
March	290	203,000
April	129	90,300
May	312	218,400
June	273	191,100
July	117	81,900
August	88	61,600
September	192	134,400
October	337	235,900
November	321	224,700
Total	4378	3,064,260









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